

Neuruppin Airfield

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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

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1. On 23 June 1951, eight single-engine aircraft with radial engines were parked in the dispersal area for swept-back jet fighters at Neuruppin airfield. Eight biplanes were parked in front of the intact hangars and four swept-back jet fighters were seen on the western turning apron. No additional jet fighters were observed at the field.

2. Except for three stokers, all the German personnel, including an electrician who had been employed at the field for 12 years, were dismissed between 16 and 23 June. in the week preceding 16 June, two swept-back jet fighters with their crews including the commandant of the field had allegedly fled to the west. The guard detail at the field was increased. The dismissal of German personnel was probably connected with the alleged events. *

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25X1A Comment. According to observations Neuruppin airfield is still occupied by a fighter regiment. The MiG-15s are parked in the hangars if there is no flying activity.

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